

MISSOURI REAL TIME LABOR MARKET SUMMARY

KANSAS CITY REGION

APR. - JUN. 2023



60,460 TOTAL JOB POSTINGS

70% PERMANENT FULL-TIME JOBS

Kansas City CITY WITH THE MOST JOB POSTINGS

The Kansas City Region is comprised of five counties and is the state's second-largest region for employment. This region accounts for 20 percent of the state's employment. Health Care & Social Assistance and Retail Trade are the industries with the most employment in this region.

TOP EMPLOYER POSTINGS

University of Missouri

HCA Healthcare

Saint Luke's Health System

Randstad

Aerotek

Deloitte

Walmart

Honeywell International

Actalent

Amazon

INDUSTRY POSTINGS

HEALTH CARE &
SOCIAL ASSISTANCE
15%

ADMIN. & SUPPORT & WASTE
MGMT. & REMEDIATION
SERVICES
13%

PROFESSIONAL, SCIENTIFIC,
& TECHNICAL SERVICES
11%

RETAIL TRADE
10%

ALL OTHER
INDUSTRIES
51%

Jobs on the rise; unemployment steady

Missouri non-farm payroll employment increased by 16,700 jobs from April 2023 to June 2023.

Missouri's smoothed seasonally adjusted unemployment rate has remained fairly steady from April 2023 to June 2023, only rising by one-tenth of a percentage point from 2.5% to 2.6%.

Missouri's labor force participation rate has increased by four-tenths of a percentage point from April 2023 to June 2023, rising from 63.2% to 63.6%.

KANSAS CITY TOP JOB POSTINGS

OCCUPATION TITLE	SOC CODE	ONLINE JOB POSTINGS	AVERAGE WAGE
● NOW			
Laborers & Freight, Stock, & Material Movers, Hand	53-7062	1,420	\$37,159
Retail Salespersons	41-2031	1,410	\$34,814
Customer Service Representatives	43-4051	1,010	\$41,459
Fast Food & Counter Workers	35-3023	880	\$27,905
Stockers & Order Fillers	53-7065	650	\$35,981
● NEXT			
Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	53-3032	1,490	\$52,120
Sales Representatives, Wholesale & Manufacturing	41-4012	1,410	\$73,130
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	41-1011	1,270	\$49,905
Maintenance & Repair Workers, General	49-9071	930	\$46,901
Food Service Managers	11-9051	910	\$67,071
● LATER			
Registered Nurses	29-1141	3,630	\$75,521
Managers, All Other	11-9199	850	\$123,097
Medical & Health Services Managers	11-9111	790	\$116,089
General & Operations Managers	11-1021	700	\$109,231
Software Developers	15-1252	670	\$101,506

● Now

Now occupations typically require short-term on-the-job training, little to no experience, and/or a high school diploma.

● Next

Next occupations typically requires a non-degree certificate, associate degree, apprenticeship, some experience, or moderate- to long-term training.

● Later

Later occupations typically require a bachelor's degree or higher.



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Sources: Data for this analysis has been extracted using Lightcast™ (formerly Burning Glass/EMSI) tool that collects information from over 35,000 web sources, including job boards, newspapers, and large and small employer websites. Missouri Economic Research and Information Center (MERIC) uses this data to compile and publish reports for the state and labor market regions. While this analysis presents a broad picture of hiring activity and serves as a measure of labor demand, it does not capture openings that are filled through other networks.

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